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For: DEVICE FOR SECURING A SEALING MEMBER IN A PREDETERMINED POSITION

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of an Office Action from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office dated June 16, 2004. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows.